# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# TEXTILES
# LOK SABHA

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MODERNISATION OF NTC MILLS
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**Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:**

(a) whether NTC is wooing private players for modernisation of the Mills;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is also proposed to develop mini textile hubs on mill land; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN)

(a) & (b): It has been decided to seek private partnership to modernize and run some of NTC mills through joint venture route. The proposal for Joint Venture has been approved by the Board for Industrial and Financial Reconstruction (BIFR) and Group of Ministers (GOM) as a part of the Revival Scheme for NTC, to be implemented by the year 2008.

(c) & (d): It has been decided to set up Indian Textile Plaza on the vacant land of Jehangir Textile Mills, Ahmedabad which includes setting up of Textile Museum, Training Centre, and Exhibition Centre etc. To implement the project a memorandum of Understanding (MOU) has been entered into with National Building Construction Corporation (NBCC) for developing the Indian Textile Plaza at a cost of Rs.180 crores.